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CINCUSAFE FOR POLAD & OPS IMMEDIATE

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C O N F I D E N T I A L BERLIN 160

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PGOV, MOPS, WB, GE

SUBJECT: EAST GERMAN CONTROL POINTS

REF: BERLIN 156

1. AS OF 700 LOCAL JANUARY 26, TRAVELERS REPORTS
INDICATE THAT ALL SPECIAL GDR CONTROL MEASURES REPORTED
REFTEL HAVE CEASED. INFORMATION FROM TRAVELERS NOW
AVAILABLE INDICATES THAT CONTROL POINTS WERE ESTABLISHED
AT MAY LOCATIONS IN GDR OFF TRANSIT ROUTES AND THAT
EAST GERMAN VEHICLES WERE ALSO SUBJECT TO CONTROLS.
SEVERAL REPORTS INDICATE THAT DOCUMENTS OF MALE
OCCUPANTS OF VEHICLES WERE SCRUTENIZED WITH
PARTICULAR CARE, WHICH TAKEN WITH ABOVE, LEADS TO
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BELIEVE THAT ACTION WAS SEARCH FOR PARTICULAR

INDIVIDUALS(S), RATHER THAN ATTEMPT TO HARRASS TRANSIT
TRAFFIC. SIMILAR, ALTHOUGH NOT AS WIDESPREAD, ACTIONS
HAVE BEEN NOTED IN PAST WHICH WE LATER DISCOVERED
INVOLVED SEARCH FOR SOVIET DESERTERS, AND MANEUVERS
TO WEST AND SOUTH OF BERLIN HAVE JUST CONCLUDED.

2. USCOB CONCURS.KLEIN

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